

LOCAL LORE.

NEWS OF CORVALLIS AND VICINITY TOLD IN BRIEF.

The Comings and Goings of People Social Gossip, Personal Mention and Other Items of Public Interest.

—Born, Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hall, a son. —Miss Ethel Kyle spent Sunday in Portland with friends. —Mrs. Emily Hartford left Saturday for a visit with her sister at Halsey. —Jap Wilson of Canyonville, arrived Saturday and spent Sunday with his three children who are students at OAC. —Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Wellsper spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Cummings in Portland. —Wallace Colbert, who is attending school in Salem, spent Sunday with Corvallis relatives. —Mr. Burrell, driver of one of the city deliveries, has been confined to his home with illness since Friday. —Miss Verna Matthews gave a party Friday evening in celebration of her 12th birthday. There was a jolly time for all present. —Mrs. M. M. Davis left Saturday for a visit with her son Harry, at San Bernardino, California. Mr. Davis accompanied her as far as Eugene. —A Linn county man has worn the same pair of trousers for 50 years. The pants and Oregon's constitution are about the same age. —Preparations are in progress at the court house for the March term of circuit court. So far there are but 19 cases on the docket, all of minor importance. Court convenes March 28th. —A very neat catalogue of the library at OAC has appeared. It contains thirty-two pages and will materially aid Librarian Nichols, as well as users of the books. —What is said to have been the coldest night for more than three years was last Friday. Plumbers have been in demand since repairing broken water pipes. —Mr. and Mrs. William Howell, who for a number of years have operated the Farmer's Hotel in this city, are to go to Harrisburg about the first of the month. They are to take charge of a lunch counter and confectionary establishment and may eventually put in a restaurant. There is not yet a sign in sight for the Farmers Hotel. —A Washington dispatch of February 10, says the president within a few days will send to the senate the nomination of Harry B. Miller of Grants Pass, to be consul-general at one of the most important points in the Orient. It will probably be Kobe, Japan. —Among the Albanyites attending the basket ball game Saturday evening were, Misses Flo Nutting, Emma Sox, Bessie Cameron, Eva French, Nellie Miller, Fern Fox, Gertrude Bussard, and Willard Marks and F. C. Stellmacher. —Invitations are out for an afternoon function at the home of Mrs. M. Elston Lee today. It is given in honor of Miss Helen F. Barnes, national secretary of the Y. W. C. A., who will deliver an address before the company this afternoon. —Monday morning a force of workmen began tearing out partitions and remodeling the interior of the reading room, on south Main street. The place is to be occupied by the Ingle & Tozier harness shop. The reading room has been moved up stairs in the same building, and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Swann have also taken quarters upstairs for the present. Col. Phillips, who occupied apartments in the building, has taken up his residence at the Occidental hotel. —A movement has been inaugurated at Albany to beautify the homes, clean up the streets and put the city in fine shape to receive the thousands of Lewis and Clark visitors that will pass through the valley this summer. Railroads have granted stop-over privileges which will be utilized all along the line. Corvallis should polish up for the occasion, also, and it is none too early to begin. Around many homes, however, are evidences that our citizens realize the importance of the movement.

—Mr. Vanderhyde, of Jefferson, was a Corvallis visitor Monday. —O. J. Blackledge, returned Monday from a brief business trip to Portland. —Miss Rice, recently the subject of a surgical operation in Portland, is expected home Saturday. —Miss Mabel Withycombe and Mrs. Selling were among Corvallisites who made the trip to Yaquina with the legislative party. —Fred Stimson, Karl Steiwer and Rae Walker are among popular students confined to their rooms with gripe. —Mr. and Mrs. Woodward and Fred Weatherford, of Albany, attended the Coffee Club party Monday evening. —The Ladies whist club is to be entertained this afternoon by Mrs. Gus Harding at the home of Mrs. L. F. Wilson, on College Hill. —Miss Esther Cox, of Portland, is the guest of Miss Leona Webber. She is the daughter of Ralston Cox, well known to old residents of Corvallis. —The Marshfield Sun has the following to say of a former O. A. C. student: "R. D. Burgess is a full-fledged M. D., and has just returned to San Francisco from Honolulu. —Albany Democrat: Mrs. H. W. Locke, of Portland, will open a new and up-to-date stock of millinery in the near future in a part of the building occupied by N. D. Pratt's furniture store. —"Have you made the acquaintance of Webberly yet?" "Yes; what does he do?" "Well, I am in doubt. Every time I meet him he smells of gasoline and I don't know whether he owns an automobile, drives a tank wagon or has been cleaning his clothes."

PLAYED GOOD GAME.
O. A. C. Girls Win From Chemawa— Game Next Thursday.
In a score of 16 to 6, the OAC girls' basket ball team defeated the Chemawa girls in a game at the Armory Saturday evening. A large crowd witnessed the event and there was plenty of enthusiasm. Next Thursday evening the OAC team meets the Albany girls in a game in this city, and a return game is to be played later in Albany, the championship now resting between Albany and Corvallis. Concerning last Saturday's game in Corvallis, the Albany Herald has the following to say: "The game was somewhat slow but resulted in a victory for Corvallis by a score of 16 to 6. The contest was thoroughly enjoyed by the Albany visitors who pronounced the Corvallis girls the better players as against the Indians, but it was thought that Albany could defeat the team and after last evening's game Corvallis was challenged for a contest and a game was finally agreed upon to be played in Corvallis Thursday evening the Corvallis girls promising to play a return game in this city during the following week."

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Wood Wanted.
Notice is hereby given that the County Court will at the March term 1905 thereof receive sealed bids to furnish wood for the Court House as follows, to-wit:
25 cords of oak grub wood four feet long and not less than 3 inches in diameter.
25 cords of old growth body red fir wood, four feet long; and
25 cords of split maple wood, 4 feet long.
Said wood to be delivered at the Court house, in Corvallis, Oregon, between June 1 and Aug 1, 05 and to be paid for in county orders when said wood is accepted by the Court. All bids must be filed with the County clerk on or before one o'clock p. m. Wednesday March 1, 1905. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
Attest: Victor P. Moses,
County Clerk, Benton Co. Or
Feb 2, 1905.

To the Public.
The undersigned have purchased the interest of Levi Henkle in the City Dray Company. The terms of the transaction include the good will of the business, Mr. Henkle having retired from the firm. Thanking the public for past patronage and soliciting a continuance of the business of all the old patrons and of such new ones as may see fit to favor us. We are
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In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County.
Geo. T. Vernon, Plaintiff,
vs.
N. P. Slate, G. O. Vernon, J. H. Vernon, Thomas Slate, John Slate, William Slate, Edward Slate, Belle Slate and Herbert Slate, Defendants.
To each and all of the above named defendants. In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required and to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above cause on or before the 27th day of March, 1905, and if you fail to so answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief demanded in his complaint to-wit, an order and decree of the said court, making partition of lots one and two in Section 2, Township 14, S. R. 3 West, Will. Mer. in Benton County, State of Oregon, containing 15 1/2 acres more or less, according to the several interests of the Plaintiff and said Defendants therein, or in the event that a partition thereof cannot be made without prejudice to the rights of plaintiff and defendants therein that the sale thereof be made by one or more referees, as may be decreed by the Court, and the proceeds thereof distributed according to the costs of this proceeding among the parties of this cause be paid to the plaintiff and defendants according to their several interests therein as shall be found by said Court.
This summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, County Judge of Benton County, State of Oregon, made on the 10th day of February, 1905. The date of the first publication hereof is February 11th, 1905, and the date of last publication will be on March 25th, 1905.
W. S. McFADDEN,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Nov 8, 1905.

Notice for Publication.
Timber Land, Act June 1878,
United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory" as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Charles O. Huff of Corvallis, county of Benton, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6519, for the purchase of the S. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Section No. 22 in Township 11, South, Range No. 8 West, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or some than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Victor P. Moses, County Clerk, Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 18th day of Feb. 1905.
He names as witnesses:
Lawrence Stovall of Philomath, Oregon.
George Stovall " "
Oleab A. Davis " "
Zabedah H. Davis of Corvallis, " "
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 18th day of February, 1905.
Algornon S. Dresser,
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SUMMONS.
In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Benton.
George E. Chamberlain as governor of Oregon, F. I. Dunbar as secretary of state, and Charles S. Moore as state treasurer of Oregon, constituting the state land board, plaintiff, vs. George Schafer, Anna Schafer, Edward Donat, Agnes Donat and George A. Houck, defendants.
To George Schafer, Anna Schafer, Edward Donat, Agnes Donat and George A. Houck, the above named defendants:
In the name of the state of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court, now on file with the clerk of said court, within six weeks from the 11th day of February, 1905, the date of the first publication of this summons, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: the foreclosure of a certain mortgage made and executed by George Schafer, Anna Schafer, Edward Donat and Agnes Donat to plaintiff on the 12th day of October, 1903, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of said defendants for \$2,000; with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date, and which said mortgage conveyed unto plaintiff the following described real property, situated in Benton county, Oregon, to-wit:
The east half of the southeast quarter of section 5; the west half of the southwest quarter, the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, the south half of the northeast quarter, the south half of the northwest quarter of section 4, all in township 15 south, range 8 west, and section 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 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Summons.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton.
L. E. Smith, Plaintiff,
vs.
Rowland Fisher, Defendant.
Summon

To Rowland Fisher, the above named defendant. In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action now on file with the clerk of said court on or before Saturday the 25th day of March, 1905, said day being the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication of this summons made by the County Judge of Benton County, Oregon, which said order is hereinafter referred to, wit, on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication hereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer as herein required, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$50.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 10th day of November, 1901, until paid, and for \$20.00 attorney fee, and for the further sum of \$5.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent per annum from the first day of February, 1904, until paid, and for \$10.00 attorney fee, besides his costs and disbursements herein and for the sale of your curtesy interest in the real property of Jane Fisher, deceased, situated in Benton county, Oregon, to satisfy such judgment, the same having been attached in this action under a Writ of Attachment duly issued herein to the Sheriff of said County.
This summons is published in the Corvallis Times once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of February 11th, 1905, and ending with the issue of March 25, 1905, in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, County Judge of Benton county, Oregon, at Chambers, dated the 10th day of February, 1905. Date of first publication is February 11, 1905.
E. R. EBYSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice of Final Settlement
In the Matter of the Estate of James Watkins, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of James Watkins, deceased, has filed her final account as such administratrix with the clerk of the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county, and the said court has fixed Saturday the 11th day of March, 1905, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon as the time, and the county court room in the county court house in Corvallis, Oregon, as the place, for hearing any and all objections to said account, and the settlement thereof. Dated this February 11, 1905.
Marinda E. Watkins,
Administratrix of the estate of James Watkins deceased.

Notice to Creditors.
In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.
Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon, for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with the proper vouchers, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at her residence or at the law office of E. E. Wilson, in Corvallis, Oregon.
Mary Eler.
Dated this February 11, 1905.
Administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.